ending September 30, 1996, clearing the measure for the President. Pages \$14107-14

Legislative Branch Appropriations, 1996 Conference Report: By 94 yeas to 4 nays (Vote No. 461), Senate passed the conference report on H.R. 1854, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996, clearing the measure for the President.

Pages S14114-18, S14127

National Highway System Designation Act—Conferees: Senate disagreed to the amendments of the House to S. 440, to amend title 23, United States Code, to provide for the designation of the National Highway System, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair appointed the following conferees: Senators Warner, Chafee, Smith, Kempthorne, Baucus, Moynihan, and Reid; and from the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation solely for matters within the committee's jurisdiction: Senators Pressler, Lott, and Hollings.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Eric James Boswell, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Anthony Cecil Eden Quainton, of the District of Columbia, to be Director General of the Foreign

A routine list in the Foreign Service. Page \$14146
Communications: Page \$14131
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Amendments Submitted: Pages \$14134-35

Authority for Committees: Page \$14135 Additional Statements: Pages \$14135-44

Record Votes: Four record votes were taken today. (Total—462) Pages S14114, S14126, S14127, S14127–28

Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and adjourned at 2:57 p.m., until 2 p.m., on Monday, September 25, 1995. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's RECORD on page \$14144.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

MONETARY POLICY

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded hearings to examine the Federal Reserve's conduct of monetary policy, after receiving testimony from Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Committee completed its review of certain spending reductions and revenue increases to meet reconciliation expenditures as imposed by H. Con. Res. 67, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002, and agreed on recommendations which it will make thereon to the Committee on the Budget.

RUBY RIDGE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Terrorism, Technology, and Government Information continued hearings to examine certain Federal law enforcement actions with regard to the 1992 incident at Ruby Ridge, Idaho, receiving testimony from William Sessions, former Director, and Robert E. Walsh, Special Agent in Charge (San Diego, California), and former Inspector, both of the Federal Bureau of Investigations, George Terwilliger, former Deputy Attorney General, and Barbara B. Berman, former Assistant Counsel, Office of Professional Responsibility, all of the Department of Justice.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, September 26.

BUDGET RECONCILIATION

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Committee began their review of certain spending reductions and revenue increases to meet reconciliation expenditures as imposed by H. Con. Res. 67, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002, but did not complete action thereon, and recessed subject to call.